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SUBJECT: LOS DELEGATION - PARTICIPATION OF STEVEN BURTON

1. PRIOR TO DEPARTURE USDEL, D/LOS AND L WERE AGREED THAT STEVEN BURTON (L/OES) SHOULD BE ON DELEGATION, BUT WOULD NOT DEPART UNTIL RETURN OF RONALD BETTAUER FROM HUMANITARIAN LAW CONFERENCE. FOR REASONS STATED HEREIN, USDEL REQUESTS BURTON BE ACCREDITED AND PROCEED TO GENEVA ASAP, AND IN NO EVENT LATER THAN BETTAUER RETURN.

2. CONFERENCE PROCEEDING TO POINT WHERE DRAFTING AND LEGAL ASSISTANCE FROM L ATTORNEYS IS INCREASINGLY IMPORTANT. OXMAN HEAVILY COMMITTED TO COMMITTEE II NEGOTIATIONS AND LEITZELL, BEFORE EMERGENCY RETURN, TO POLLUTION NEGOTIATIONS IN COMMITTEE III. BURTON HAS WORKED EXTENSIVELY ON DEEP SEABED REGIME AND MACHINERY ISSUES, AND WILL BE PARTICULARLY NEEDED FOR COMMITTEE I WORK AS DETAILED TREATMENT OF ISSUES INTENSIFIES. RECOMMEND DEPARTMENT CONSIDER THIS REQUEST IN LIGHT BOTH LEITZELL RETURN AND FACT BURTON'S LEGAL SERVICES WOULD BE VERY USEFUL IN COMMITTEE I, WHERE THERE IS NO L ATTORNEY. DALE

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